

MINUTES

MONTANA SENATE 65th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS, LABOR, AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS

Call to Order: Chair Edward Buttrey, on January 4, 2017 at 8:00 AM, in Room 422
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Edward Buttrey, Chair (R)
Sen. Dee Brown, Vice Chair (R)
Sen. Pat Connell (R)
Sen. Tom Facey (D)
Sen. Steve Fitzpatrick (R)
Sen. Daniel R. Salomon (R)
Sen. Jason D. Small (R)
Sen. Frank Smith (D)
Sen. Gordon Vance (R)
Sen. Gene Vuckovich (D)

Members Excused: None

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Linda Keim, Committee Secretary
Jameson Walker, Legislative Branch

Audio Committees: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

Committee Business Summary:

Organizational Meeting

Committee Business:

00:01:17 Chairman Buttrey

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[EXHIBIT\(bus03a02\)](#)

INTRODUCTIONS OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS AND STAFF

00:01:39 Chairman Buttrey

RULES OF PROCEDURES

00:03:27 Chairman Buttrey

00:10:21 Sen. Brown

00:11:02 Chairman Buttrey

00:11:34 Sen. Facey

00:12:38 Chairman Buttrey

00:12:51 Sen. Connell

00:13:19 Chairman Buttrey

00:13:59 Sen. Smith

00:14:17 Chairman Buttrey

00:14:27 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Brown moved **TO ADOPT** the rules of procedure for the Committee. Motion carried unanimously by those present and voting.

USE OF PROXIES

00:14:57 Chairman Buttrey

00:15:24 Sen. Connell

00:15:54 Chairman Buttrey

00:16:23 Sen. Facey

00:16:57 Chairman Buttrey

00:17:00 Without objection, the Committee agreed to adopt the use of proxies.

00:17:30 Sen. Brown

00:17:55 Chairman Buttrey

SNACK FUND

00:17:59 Chairman Buttrey

00:18:06 Sen. Brown

00:18:08 Chairman Buttrey

FUTURE SCHEDULE

00:18:36 Chairman Buttrey

00:20:04 Sen. Connell

00:20:15 Chairman Buttrey

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 8:24 AM

Linda Keim, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

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